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Suffolk Fire and Rescue Fight Brush Fire

Suffolk Fire and Rescue are currently on the scene of a brush fire in a remote area between the 3300 block of Holland and Copeland Rd. The fire originated on Tuesday and was extinguished. However, it has flared up twice since the initial response. The fire consumed approximately 1.5 acres on Tuesday and 15 - 20 acres on Wednesday.

Fire crews have been on scene since approximately 11 a.m. today and are addressing a 3 - 5 acre fire. The Department of Forestry also has personnel and equipment on scene.

The cause of the original fire is undetermined. Deputy Fire Chief Brian Spicer advised that "the dry conditions have provided an environment that is conducive to brush fires."

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